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Mr. James R. Miller, Chief
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Division of Licensing
Washington, DC 20555

Reference: Docket No. 50-285

Dear Mr. Miller:

NUREG-0737, Item II.B.3
Post Accident Sampling System (PASS)

The purpose of this letter is to formalize information the Omaha Public Power District discussed with Mr. E. G. Tourigny of your office on September 5, 1984 and to provide you an updated status of the PASS. On September 5, 1984, we informed you that all portions of the PASS were completed and acceptable with the exception of the Gross Gamma Detectors.

The Gross Gamma Detectors were calibrated at the factory approximately a year ago. As a final step in declaring the system operable, the plant staff attempted to perform the required yearly calibration. Following the vendor's instructions, the plant was unable to correctly complete the calibration. Further discussions with the vendor led us to believe that the original calibration, if performed in the described manner, was also incorrect.

Subsequent to the September 5, 1984 phone call, the District returned all three Gross Gamma Detectors to the factory for recalibration. District personnel accompanied the detectors to personally witness the calibration and to acquire additional knowledge of this process. That calibration, reinstallation into the system, and operational verification has been completed. The system was accepted for operation on September 28, 1984.

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NUREG-0737, Item II.B.3 is now complete, with the exception of submittal of the appropriate Technical Specifications.

Sincerely,



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